

Washington State Department of Labor and Industries
Policy Statement
(Regarding the Production of "Standard" or "Non-standard" Items)

Below is the department's (State L&I's) list of criteria to be used in determining whether a prefabricated item is "standard" or "non-standard". For items not appearing on WSDOT's predetermined list, these criteria shall be used by the Contractor (and the Contractor's subcontractors, agents to subcontractors, suppliers, manufacturers, and fabricators) to determine coverage under RCW 39.12. The production, in the State of Washington, of non-standard items is covered by RCW 39.12, and the production of standard items is not. The production of any item outside the State of Washington is not covered by RCW 39.12.

1. Is the item fabricated for a public works project? If not, it is not subject to RCW 39.12. If it is, go to question 2.
2. Is the item fabricated on the public works jobsite? If it is, the work is covered under RCW 39.12. If not, go to question 3.
3. Is the item fabricated in an assembly/fabrication plant set up for, and dedicated primarily to, the public works project? If it is, the work is covered by RCW 39.12. If not, go to question 4.
4. Does the item require any assembly, cutting, modification or other fabrication by the supplier? If not, the work is not covered by RCW 39.12. If yes, go to question 5.
5. Is the prefabricated item intended for the public works project typically an inventory item which could reasonably be sold on the general market? If not, the work is covered by RCW 39.12. If yes, go to question 6.
6. Does the specific prefabricated item, generally defined as standard, have any unusual characteristics such as shape, type of material, strength requirements, finish, etc? If yes, the work is covered under RCW 39.12.

Any firm with questions regarding the policy, WSDOT's Predetermined List, or for determinations of covered and non-covered workers shall be directed to State L&I at (360) 902-5330.

**WSDOT's
Predetermined List for
Suppliers - Manufacturers - Fabricators**

Below is a list of potentially prefabricated items, originally furnished by WSDOT to Washington State Department of Labor and Industries, that may be considered non-standard and therefore covered by the prevailing wage law, RCW 39.12. Items marked with an X in the "YES" column should be considered to be non-standard and therefore covered by RCW 39.12. Items marked with an X in the "NO" column should be considered to be standard and therefore not covered. Of course, exceptions to this general list may occur, and in that case shall be evaluated according to the criteria described in State and L&I's policy statement.

ITEM DESCRIPTION	YES	NO
1. Manhole Ring & Cover - manhole type 1, 2, 3, and 4 for bridges. For use with Catch Basin type 2. The casting to meet AASHTO-M-105, class 30 gray iron casting. See Std. Plan B-1f, B-23a, B-23b, B-23c, and B-23d.		X
2. Frame & Grate - frame and Grate for Catch Basin type 1, 1L, 1P, 2, 3, 4 and Concrete Inlets. Cast frame may be grade 70-36 steel, class 30 gray cast iron or grade 80-55-06 ductile iron. The cast grate may be grade 70-36 steel or grade 80-55-06 ductile iron. See Std. Plan B-2, B-2a, and B-2b.		X
3. Grate Inlet & Drop Inlet Frame & Grate - Frame and Grate for Grate Inlets Type 1 or 2 or Drop Inlet. Angle iron frame to be cast into top of inlet. See Std. Plan B-4b or B-4h. Frames & Grates to be galvanized.		X
4. Concrete Pipe - Plain Concrete pipe and reinforced concrete pipe Class 2 to 5 sizes smaller than 60 inch diameter.		X
5. Concrete Pipe - Plain Concrete pipe and reinforced concrete pipe Class 2 to 5 sizes larger than 60 inch diameter.		X

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| 6. | Corrugated Steel Pipe - Steel lock seam corrugated pipe for culverts and storm sewers, sizes 30 inch to 120 inches in diameter. May also be treated, 1 thru 5. | X |
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| 7. | Corrugated Aluminum Pipe - Aluminum lock seam corrugated pipe for culverts and storm sewers, sizes 30 inch to 120 inches in diameter. May also be treated, #5. | X |
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| 8. | Anchor Bolts & Nuts - Anchor Bolts and Nuts, for mounting sign structures, luminaries and other items, shall be made from commercial bolt stock. See Contract Plans and Std. Plans for size and material type. | X |
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| 9. | Aluminum Pedestrian Handrail - Pedestrian handrail conforming to the type and material specifications set forth in the contract plans. Welding of aluminum shall be in accordance with Section 9-28.15(3). | X |
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| 10. | Major Structural Steel Fabrication - Fabrication of major steel items such as trusses, beams, girders, etc., for bridges. | X |
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| 11. | Minor Structural Steel Fabrication - Fabrication of minor steel items such as special hangers, brackets, access doors for structures, access ladders for irrigation boxes, bridge expansion joint systems, etc., involving welding, cutting, punching and/or boring of holes. See Contact Plans for item description and shop drawings. | X |
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| 12. | Aluminum Bridge Railing Type BP - Metal bridge railing conforming to the type and material specifications set forth in the Contract Plans. Welding of aluminum shall be in accordance with Section 9-28.15(3). | X |
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| 13. Concrete Piling--Precast-Prestressed concrete piling for use as 55 and 70 ton concrete piling. Concrete to conform to Section 9-19.1 of Std. Spec.. Shop drawings for approval shall be provided per Section 6-05.3(3) of the Std. Spec. | X | |
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| 14. Manhole Type 1, 2, 3 and 4 - Precast Manholes with risers and flat top slab and/or cones. See Std. Plans. | | X |
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| 15. Drywell - Drywell as specified in Contract Plans. | | X |
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| 16. Catch Basin - Catch Basin type 1, 1L, 1P, 2, 3, and 4, including risers, frames maybe cast into riser. See Std. Plans. | | X |
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| 17. Precast Concrete Inlet - Concrete Inlet with risers, frames may be cast into risers. See Std. Plans. | | X |
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| 18. Drop Inlet Type 1 - Drop Inlet Type 1 with support angles and grate. See Std. Plans B-4f and B-4h. | | X |
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| 19. Drop Inlet Type 2 - Drop Inlet type 2 with support angles and grate. See Std. Plans B-4g and B-4h. | | X |
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| 20. Grate Inlet Type 2 - Grate Inlet Type 2 with risers and top unit with bearing angles. | | X |
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| 21. Precast Concrete Utility Vaults - Precast Concrete utility vaults of various sizes. Used for in ground storage of utility facilities and controls. See Contract Plans for size and construction requirements. Shop drawings are to be provided for approval prior to casting. | | X |
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22. Vault Risers - For use with Valve Vaults and Utilities Vaults.		X
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23. Valve Vault - For use with underground utilities. See Contract Plans for details.		X
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24. Precast Concrete Barrier - Precast Concrete Barrier for use as new barrier or may also be used as Temporary Concrete Barrier. Only new state approved barrier may be used as permanent barrier.		X
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25. Reinforced Earth Wall Panels - Reinforced Earth Wall Panels in size and shape as shown in the Plans. Fabrication plant has annual approval for methods and materials to be used. See Shop Drawing. Fabrication at other locations may be approved, after facilities inspection, contact HQ. Lab.	X	
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26. Precast Concrete Walls - Precast Concrete Walls - tilt-up wall panel in size and shape as shown in Plans. Fabrication plant has annual approval for methods and materials to be used.	X	
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27. Precast Railroad Crossings - Concrete Crossing Structure Slabs.	X	
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28. 12, 18 and 26 inch Standard Precast Prestressed Girder - Standard Precast Prestressed Girder for use in structures. Fabricator plant has annual approval of methods and materials to be used. Shop Drawing to be provided for approval prior to casting girders. See Std. Spec. Section 6-02.3(25)c.	X	
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29. Prestressed Concrete Girder Series 4-14 - Prestressed Concrete Girders for use in structures. Fabricator plant has annual approval of methods and materials to be used. Shop Drawing to be provided for approval prior to casting girders. See Std. Spec. Section 6-02.3(25)c.	X
30. Prestressed Tri-Beam Girder - Prestressed Tri-Beam Girders for use in structures. Fabricator plant has annual approval of methods and materials to be used. Shop Drawing to be provided for approval prior to casting girders. See Std. Spec. Section 6-02.3(25)c.	X
31. Prestressed Precast Hollow-Core Slab - Precast Prestressed Hollow-core slab for use in structures. Fabricator plant has annual approval of methods and materials to be used. Shop Drawing to be provided for approval prior to casting girders. See Std. Spec. Section 6-02.3(25)c.	X
32. Prestressed-Bulb Tee Girder - Bulb Tee Prestressed Girder for use in structures. Fabricator plant has annual approval of methods and materials to be used. Shop Drawing to be provided for approval prior to casting girders. See Std. Spec. Section 6-02.3(26)A.	X
33. Monument Case and Cover - To meet AASHTO-M-105 class 30 gray iron casting. See Std. Plan H-7.	X
34. Cantilever Sign Structure - Cantilever Sign Structure fabricated from steel tubing meeting AASHTO-M-183. See Std. Plans G-3, G-3a, and Contract Plans for details. The steel structure shall be galvanized after fabrication in accordance with AASHTO-M-111.	X
35. Mono-tube Sign Structures - Mono-tube Sign Bridge fabricated to details shown in the Plans. Shop drawings for approval are required prior to fabrication.	X

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| 36. Steel Sign Bridges - Steel Sign Bridges fabricated from steel tubing meeting AASHTO-M-138 for Aluminum Alloys. See Std. Plans G-2, G2a, G-2b, and Contract Plans for details. The steel structure shall be galvanized after fabrication in accordance with AASHTO-M-111. | X | |
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| 37. Steel Sign Post - Fabricated steel sign posts as detailed in Std. Plan G-8. Shop drawings for approval are to be provided prior to fabrication. | | X |
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| 38. Light Standard-Prestressed - Spun, prestressed, hollow, concrete poles. | | X |
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| 39. Light Standards - Lighting Standards for use on highway illumination systems, poles to be fabricated to conform with methods and materials as specified on Std. Plan J-1, J-1a, and J-1b. See Special Provisions for pre-approved drawings. | X | |
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| 40. Traffic Signal Standards - Traffic Signal Standards for use on highway and/or street signal systems. Standards to be fabricated to conform with methods and material as specified on Std. Plans J-1, J-7a, J-7c, and J-8. See Special Provisions for pre-approved drawings. | X | |
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| 41. Traffic Curb, Type A or C Precast - Type A or C Precast traffic curb, for use in construction of raised channelization, and other traffic delineation uses such as parking lots, rest areas, etc. NOTE: Acceptance based on inspection of Fabrication Plant and an advance sample of curb section to be submitted for approval by Engineer. | | X |
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42. Traffic Signs - Prior to approval of a Fabricator of Traffic Signs, the sources of the following signing materials must be submitted and approved for reflective sheeting, legend material, and aluminum sheeting. NOTE: *** Fabrication inspection required. Only signs tagged "Fabrication Approved" by WSDOT Sign Fabrication Inspector to be installed.	X custom msg	X std. msg
43. Cutting & bending reinforcing steel		X
44. Guardrail components	X custom end sect.	X standard sect.
45. Aggregates/Concrete mixes	Covered by WAC 296-127-018	
46. Asphalt	Covered by WAC 296-127-018	
47. Fiber fabrics		X
48. Electrical wiring/components		X
49. treated or untreated timber piles		X
50. Girder pads (elastomeric bearing)	X	

	YES	NO
51. Standard Dimension lumber		X

52. Irrigation components		X

53. Fencing materials		X

54. Guide Posts		X

55. Traffic Buttons		X

56. Epoxy		X

57. Cribbing		X

58. Water distribution materials		X

59. Steel "H" piles		X

60. Steel pipe for concrete pile casings		X

61. Steel pile tips, standard		X

62. Steel pile tips, custom	X	

WASHINGTON STATE PREVAILING WAGE RATES - EFFECTIVE 03/05/03 METAL FABRICATION (IN SHOP)

<u>Classification</u>	<u>PREVAILING WAGE</u>	<u>Over Time Code</u>	<u>Holiday Code</u>	<u>Note Code</u>
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Counties Covered:

Adams, Asotin, Columbia, Douglas, Ferry, Franklin, Garfield
Kittitas, Lincoln, Okanogan, Pend Oreille, Stevens, Walla Walla and Whitman

Fitter	12.76	1
Welder	12.76	1
Machine Operator	12.66	1
Painter	10.20	1
Laborer	8.13	1

Counties Covered:

Benton

Welder	16.70	1
Machine Operator	10.53	1
Painter	9.76	1
Laborer	7.06	1

Counties Covered:

Chelan

Fitter	15.04	1
Welder	12.24	1
Machine Operator	9.71	1
Painter	9.93	1
Laborer	8.77	1

Counties Covered:

Clallam, Grays Harbor, Island, Jefferson,
Lewis, Mason, Pacific, San Juan and Skagit

Fitter	15.16	1
Welder	15.16	1
Machine Operator	10.66	1
Painter	11.41	1
Laborer	11.13	1

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Counties Covered: Clark				
Layerout	24.06	1J	6U	
Fitter	23.69	1J	6U	
Welder	23.13	1J	6U	
Painter	20.51	1J	6U	
Machine Operator	17.86	1J	6U	
Laborer	17.21	1J	6U	
Counties Covered: Snohomish				
Fitter	15.38	1		
Welder	15.38	1		
Machine Operator	8.84	1		
Painter	9.98	1		
Laborer	9.79	1		
Counties Covered: Spokane				
Fitter	12.59	1		
Welder	10.80	1		
Machine Operator	13.26	1		
Painter	10.27	1		
Laborer	7.98	1		
Counties Covered: Thurston				
Layerout	24.49	1R	6T	
Fitter	22.51	1R	6T	
Welder	20.51	1R	6T	
Machine Operator	17.53	1R	6T	
Laborer	14.56	1R	6T	
Counties Covered: Whatcom				
Fitter/Welder	13.81	1		
Machine Operator	13.81	1		
Laborer	9.00	1		

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Counties Covered: Yakima				
Fitter	12.00	1		
Welder	11.32	1		
Machine Operator	11.32	1		
Painter	12.00	1		
Laborer	10.31	1		
Counties Covered: Cowlitz				
Fitter	21.99	1B	6V	
Welder	21.99	1B	6V	
Machine Operator	21.99	1B	6V	
Laborer	15.87	1B	6V	
Counties Covered: Grant				
Fitter	10.79	1		
Welder	10.79	1		
Painter	7.45	1		
Counties Covered: King				
Fitter	15.86	1		
Welder	15.48	1		
Machine Operator	13.04	1		
Painter	11.10	1		
Laborer	9.78	1		
Counties Covered: Kitsap				
Fitter	26.96	1		
Welder	13.83	1		
Machine Operator	13.83	1		
Laborer	7.01	1		

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Counties Covered: Klickitat, Skamania and Wahkiakum				
Fitter/Welder	16.99	1		
Machine Operator	17.21	1		
Painter	17.03	1		
Laborer	10.44	1		
Counties Covered: Pierce				
Fitter	15.25	1		
Welder	13.98	1		
Machine Operator	13.98	1		
Laborer	9.25	1		

**WASHINGTON STATE PREVAILING WAGE RATES - EFFECTIVE 03/05/03
FABRICATED PRECAST CONCRETE PRODUCTS**

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<p align="center">Counties Covered: Adams, Asotin, Benton, Columbia, Douglas, Ferry, Garfield, Grant, Lincoln, Okanogan, Pend Oreille, Stevens, Walla Walla, and Whitman</p>				
All Classifications	9.96	1		
<p align="center">Counties Covered: Franklin</p>				
All Classifications	11.59	1		
<p align="center">Counties Covered: King</p>				
All Classifications	11.35	2K	6S	
<p align="center">Counties Covered: Pierce</p>				
All Classifications	9.28	1		
<p align="center">Counties Covered: Chelan, Kittitas, Klickitat and Skamania</p>				
All Classifications	8.61	1		
<p align="center">Counties Covered: Clallam, Clark, Cowlitz, Grays Harbor, Island, Jefferson, Kitsap, Lewis, Mason, Pacific, San Juan, Skagit, Snohomish, Thurston, Wahkiakum</p>				
All Classifications	13.50	1		

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Counties Covered: Spokane				
All Classifications	20.23	1		
Counties Covered: Yakima				
Craftsman	8.65	1		
Production Worker	7.15	1		
Laborer	7.01	1		
Counties Covered: Whatcom				
All Classifications	13.67	1		

Washington State Department of Labor and Industries
Policy Statements
(Regarding Production and Delivery of Gravel, Concrete, Asphalt, etc.)

The following two letters from the State Department of Labor and Industries (State L&I) dated August 18, 1992 and June 18, 1999, clarify the intent and establish policy for administering the provisions of WAC 296-127-018 COVERAGE AND EXEMPTIONS OF WORKERS INVOLVED IN THE PRODUCTION AND DELIVERY OF GRAVEL, CONCRETE, ASPHALT, OR SIMILAR MATERIALS.

Any firm with questions regarding the policy, these letters, or for determinations of covered and non-covered workers shall be directed to State L&I at (360) 902-5330.

Effective September 1, 1993, minimum prevailing wages for all work covered by WAC 296-127-018 for the production and/or delivery of materials to a public works contract will be found under the regular classification of work for Teamsters, Power Equipment Operators, etc.

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August 18, 1992

TO: All Interested Parties

FROM: Jim P. Christensen
Acting Industrial Statistician

SUBJECT: Materials Suppliers - WAC 296-127-018

This memo is intended to provide greater clarity regarding the application of WAC 296-127-018 to awarding agencies, contractors, subcontractors, material suppliers and other interested parties. The information contained herein should not be construed to cover all possible scenarios which might require the payment of prevailing wage. The absence of a particular activity under the heading "PREVAILING WAGES ARE REQUIRED FOR" does not mean that the activity is not covered.

Separate Material Supplier Equipment Operator rates have been eliminated. For those cases where a production facility is set up for the specific purpose of supplying materials to a public works construction site, prevailing wage rates for operators of equipment such as crushers and batch plants can be found under Power Equipment Operators.

PREVAILING WAGES ARE REQUIRED FOR:

1. Hauling materials away from a public works project site, including excavated materials, demolished materials, etc.
2. Delivery of materials to a public works project site using a method that involves incorporation of the delivered materials into the project site, such as spreading, leveling, rolling, etc.
3. The production of materials at a facility that is established for the specific, but not necessarily exclusive, purpose of supplying materials for a public works project.
4. Delivery of the materials mentioned in #3 above, regardless of the method of delivery.

PREVAILING WAGES ARE NOT REQUIRED FOR:

1. The production of materials by employees of an established materials supplier, in a permanent facility, as well as the delivery of these materials, as long as delivery does not include incorporation of the materials into the job site.
2. Delivery of materials by a common or contract carrier, as long as delivery does not include incorporation of the materials into the job site.
3. Production of materials for unspecified future use.



STATE OF WASHINGTON
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRIES

June 18, 1999

TO: Kerry S. Radcliff, Editor
Washington State Register

FROM: Gary Moore, Director
Department of Labor and Industries

SUBJECT: **Notice re WAC 296-127-018, Coverage and exemptions of workers involved in the production and delivery of gravel, concrete, asphalt, or similar materials**

The department wishes to publish the following Notice in the next edition of the Washington State Register:

NOTICE

Under the current material supplier regulations, WAC 296-127-018, the department takes the position that prevailing wages do not apply to the delivery of wet concrete to public works sites, unless the drivers do something more than just deliver the concrete. Drivers delivering concrete into a crane and bucket, hopper of a pump truck, or forms or footings, are not entitled to prevailing wages unless they operate machinery or use tools that screed, float, or put a finish on the concrete.

This position applies only to the delivery of wet concrete. It does not extend to the delivery of asphalt, sand, gravel, crushed rock, or other similar materials covered under WAC 296-127-018. The department's position applies only to this regulation.

If you need additional information regarding this matter, please contact Greg Mowat, Program Manager, Employment Standards, at P.O. Box 44510, Olympia, WA 98504-4510, or call (360) 902-5310.

Please publish the above Notice in WSR 99-13. If you have questions or need additional information, please call Selwyn Walters at 902-4206. Thank you.

Cc: Selwyn Walters, Rules Coordinator
Patrick Woods, Assistant Director
Greg Mowat, Program Manager